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***"AN ACT CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A  
BIOLOGICAL AGENTS REGISTRY."***

1 In line 24, after the period, insert the following:

2 "The provisions of this section shall not apply to a biological agent  
3 in the possession of a clinical laboratory, certified by the Secretary of  
4 Health and Human Services pursuant to 42 USC 263a, if such  
5 laboratory possesses such biological agent: (1) (A) as a result of an  
6 examination of materials derived from the human body for the  
7 purposes of providing information, or verification of such information,  
8 for the diagnosis, prevention or treatment of any disease or  
9 impairment of, or the assessment of the health of human beings, or (B)  
10 as a result of conducting a proficiency test of a clinical laboratory  
11 pursuant to 42 USC 263a, and (2) properly disposes of such biological  
12 agent within fourteen days of the date on which the clinical laboratory  
13 has received notice of the completion of confirmation testing by the  
14 Department of Public Health and no further examination is required."